christian. You can always tell a christian in the dark.

"What did you do in the time of trial? I have heard persons say they did not think a Roman catholic could be a christian; but I know many truits of the catholics that we could well smulais. I cane went to tell a catholic servant girl that her mother was dead. She broke down and sobbed; but finally she suits I went cry any more. If mother were been she would say, "Bear it, Mary, it is God's will." You may say thus is superstition: but what could you in your enlightenment do more than that?

"How is it about self sacrifice? Oh, friends, that was the spirit of Christ. I know a man who was a prisoner in Anders anville, and who gave up his chances for release three different times, that he might s'ay and minister to the sick." The speaker told of a visit of a Salvation Army meeting in New York, which was addressed by Mrs. Bailington Booth. Five somes were with her on the stage. They were the clothes of paspers, but had the faces of angels. They were members of the army who were working in the slume of New York. They were members of the army who were working in the slume of New York. They were members of the army who were working in the slume of New York. They were members of the army who were working in the slume of New York. They were members of the army who were working in the slume of New York. They were members of the army who were working in the slume of New York. They were members of the army who were working in the slume of that spirit of Christ's teaching," said Mr. Mills.

Are You Working for Christ?

Are You Working for Christ? How about your influence for Christ? I know parents that could not have timiless children. It ought to be so in every christian family. I know Sunday school beachers who, if they taught your class for one Sunday, would lead every member to God. I know of a business man who has devoted a certain time each day to divine services for his emloyes, and Lib have been led to Christ. servant girls to grace within fourteen years I know a college professor who concerted twenty three students in two months. What have you done? The expression on your face may curse a brother, the accent of your voice may send a soul to hell. Are you concerned in the saving of souls, concerned for your loved ones that are without God

and without hope?
"Alexander the Great once had a coward soldier who was brought to him. He saked the coward his name. The man in the hope of saving himself said: 'My name, ton is Alexander.' The monaren pierced him with his burning eye and said: 'Change that name or honor it.' Let us pray,' said the evangelist closed his exhortation with a fervent

No after meeting was held last night, but one will be held tonight at the close of the service for those who have con-

women's prayer meeting will be held in the lecture room at 2.30 p.m. At 3.30 the regular afternoon service will be held. In the evening the doors will open at 7.15. There will be no service Saturday evening, but there will be a meeting for Species across leaves in the Investor out M. E. church at So'clock. Mr. Marie regards this as the most important service of all. He urged every Sunday school at perintendent and teacher in the city to be present. There will be three Sunday meetings. One at 10 a.m. for the young people in the eastern part of the city; another at 3 o'ckek for the other young people's societies. In the evening aspecial sermon will be preached. GRANGERS ARE INDIGNANT.

Grand Master Brigham Pays His Respects to Secretary Morton.

Synactist, N. T., Nov. 16. The twentyseventh annual session of the National Grange of Patrons of Husbandry Grange of Patrons of Husbandry opened here yesterday morning with Grand Master Brigham of Ohio in the chair. Delegates from over thirty states were present. At the morning session the fifth and sixth degrees were conferred upon two candidates. This afternoon Grand Master Brigham delivered his annual address. He said that the year 1800 has not been one in which the order has added largely to its numerical strength, although there has been in some states large additions to membership, while in some other states no increase is reported. Mr. Brigitam expressed his indignation at the attack upon the grange made by Secretary of Agriculture Morton, at the recent agricultural congress in Chicago, and said: "If the fact is made public that there is not a single farmer or an orgunization of farmers that indorses his expressed views, or regards him as a trus friend of agriculture, it may have a estudary influence in the selection of future secretaries of agriculture." The grange will be in session ten days, and no interesting program has been ar-ranged for each day.

THAIN SERVICE REORGANIZED. Close of the Fair Has Necessitated

Changes on Main Lines. Chrosco, Nov. 16.-The closing of the world's fair season automitates the reorganization of the train service over important times owing to the changed condition of business. The Michigan Central schopts a new time schedule next Sunday. A morning train, called the New York special, will leave Chiengo at 10:30 a. m., arriving in New York at 2:45 n. m. and Buston at 4:15 p. m. The fact castiers express No. 6 remains unchanged, leaving Chicago at 3:10 p. on and arriving in New York at 5:50 p. m. and at Boaton at II p. m. the next day.

NEW PREIGHT LINE.

it Will Take the Business of the Southwest Dispatch,

Circums, Nov. 16 - The southwest des patch fast freight lice, operating over the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, West Shore and New York & New Englast souls, went out of existence today in name only. Commencing tomorrow the line will be known as the West Shore fact freight him. It will operate over the auto reads and cover the same tor-ritory. In addition to the old territory, however, arrangements have been made for the new line to operate over the Rig Four, the Philadelphia & Beading, the Full Brook and the Central of New Jersay and the connections of all these

Bank Robbers Frightened. Ricourseros, Ills. Nov. 13.—As attempt was made at 2 o'clock yesterday morning to blow open the rank in the People's bank at Levington with the outer dear of the rank and exploded a dynamite charge which failed to open the dose. Frightened by the terrific explosion the robbers find, leaving their books.

LIVELY FIGHT IS ON

The Trouble Between the Hayes and Powderly Factions

WILL REACH A CRISIS TODAY

and what was given out are two different things. The press committee stated during the noon recess that everything was of a pacific nature, but judging from the noise heard from without the "secret chambers" matters assumed an entirely different phase. That the announced charge of General Secretary-Treasurer Hayes against the general executive board, in which he asks why the latter body appropriated a sum said to latter body appropriated a sum said to be \$30,000 to the use of the order instead of applying it to the aid of the Home-stead. Tennessee and Coeur d'Alone strikers, came up was admitted by one of the delegates, but what action was taken could not be learned.

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Will Let Reporters In.

General Master Workman Powderly and several members of the executive board decided tonight that it would be to the best interests of the order to admit representatives of the press to the sessions, and the constitution of the Knights of Labor will probably be changed to this effect. It is not thought, however, that this amendment will be put into effect at the present session. Into development is directly due to the unlooked for publications of the secretary treasurer. Hayes. The usual retecnce was manifested regarding the transactions at the session this afternoon. The announcement of the press committee was that numerous resolutions were introduced and referred and the latter part of the afternoon was spent in committee to the whole. Among the resolutions was one favoring the election of the general officers by a direct vote of the members, instead of by the general assembly, another compelling local assembly, another compelling local assembles to connect themselves with some district, and a third recommending that district assemblies elect their own officers semi-annually. The executive board detailed the bites elect their own officers semi-annually. The executive board detailed the efforts that had been made to secure a partion for Hugh Dempsey of Homestead, but thus far without success, and no further action in the case was taken. Crisis Will Be Reached Today.

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It is probable that the trouble between the Hayes and Powderly factions will culminate in one or more of the general officers of the board being asked to reeign, but just who the individual will be it is not directly stated. It is known that the charges are directed against Mr. Powderly, A. W. Wright and John Devlin, individually, and that the other members of the board, Congressman John Davis and T. B. Metjuire of New York, are not concerned. It is said that the Powderly faction holds the upper hand in the assembly and if a vote abould be taken, the Hayes element would be downed. It is believed that the crisis will be reached tomorrow or Saturday. Besides the linancial charges, it is alleged by the Hayes faction that a member of the executive board was recently in collusion with a certain democrat state committee. A board was recently in collusion with a certain democrat state committee. A member of the board stated tonight that the latter charge could be estisfactorily explained. The executive board held a caucus tonight in Mr. Powderly's room in the Windsor hotel, and the followers of Mr. Hayes met in the latter's room. What transpired is not known. Congressman Davis statement, which he issued tonight, did not contain anything specific. It referred to the differences that exist in the order, in a senences that exist in the order, in a gen-eral way, and compared them with his-torical events, the outcome of which has been favorable.

Met and Elected Officers,

BALTIMORE, Nov. 16 .- The National Transportation association today elected the following officers: President, William the following officers: President, William S. Young, Baltimore: vice president, Frank Barry, Milwankee; treasurer, F. H. Magdenburg, Milwankee; secretary, George F. Stone, Chicago; executive committee, E. P. Wilson, D. W. Raulet, Charles E. Wheeler, D. E. Richardson, R. C. Crier,

Union Pacific Receivers.

New York, Nov. 16.—In the United States court Judge Benedict today, upon the application of Attorney General Olney, appointed John W. Donne of Chicago and Frederick R. Coudert of New York additional receivers of the Union Pacific Railroad company to protect the interests of the government. They are required to file a bond of \$10.

Railroad Sold Under a Mortgage, Markato, Mino., Nov. 16.—The Wis-consin and Minnesota & Pacific railroad was disposed of at masters' sale under a ree of mortgage foreclosure at noon today. Mortgage bonds with unpaid coupons and interest aggregating 85, 160,733,40 were held by the Metropolitan Trust company of New York.

Will Put in a Double Track. DULUTS, Minn., Nov. 1d - The Duluth, Mesaba & Northern roud is to be double tracked and Leonidas Merritt is now in New York making financial arrange-ments to begin the work at once. The plan, as outlined at present, is to start the double track from the top of the Duloth hill and run it to Iron Junction.

Trial Trip Postponed. Boaron, Nov. 16.—The official trial trip of the cruiser Columbia has been postponed until Saturday on account of high winds and rough water.

A GOOD BUILDING UP

Now is the time to buy outer garments. We received this week an invoice of Overcoats and Ulsters, purchased at a great discount of Michael Kolb & Son, of Rochester, N. Y. These goods are of the best and warranted to be as represented. They are in Chinchillas, Fine Kerseys (blue,

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black and brown), Irish Frieze, etc. We are having a great \$9.00 sale in Kersey and Chinchilla Overcoats. We will sell you a Black Cheviot Ulster for \$8.65, one in Chinchilla for \$10.65, one in Irish Frieze for \$12.50, and either a dark brown or gray Chinchilla for \$12.25 and upwards. See these goods.

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102 Cloaks, worth \$7, at \$3.15.	71 Cloaks worth \$8.50 at \$4.25.	
10,000 Cloaks cut squarely in two.	213 Cloaks, worth \$12, at \$6.21.	
Fur Capes, all sizes, at one half price.	74 real Astrachan Sacks, sold everywhere for \$50, at \$35 each.	
236 \$25 Cloaks for ten dol- lar bill each.	Seven dollars and a half will buy \$15 Cloaks.	
Children's Cloaks in end- less variety, at \$6, \$7 and \$8, worth \$12, \$13, \$14 and \$15.	One lot Rain Coats will be cast in the hopper at 48c each.	

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One lot mixed and plain	One lot Striped Material
Suitings at 10c per yard.	for 15c worth a quarter.
One lot finer grade in plain design at 19c.	One lot Storm Serge at 23e per yard.
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MORE TEN-YARD DRESS PATTERNS.

In the wake of last week's phenomenal sale we offer several hundred Dress patterns to first callers this week, at 75c, 85c and 1.00 for ten full yards. They will be found exceptional values and the best investment you ever made.

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103 all wool, several styles	91 all wool, fancy designs,
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One lot Merino at 88c.	One lot merino at 1.00.
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